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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 14, 2004 (Paper No. 704).

The Examiner has required restriction among the following inventions in the aboveidentified application:

- I. Claims 56-71, drawn to a human monoclonal antibody;
- II. Claims 72-76, drawn to a molecular complex; and
- III. Claims 77-78, drawn to a method of targeting an antigen to a human dendritic cell, or inducing or enhancing an immune response against an antigen, comprising administering a molecular complex.

Accordingly, Applicants elect Group I, Claims 56-71 for continued examination.

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